## RESOLUTIONS OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA RESOLUTION NO. \_19773\_

## A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE BOUNDARIES AND LEVYING AN ASSESSMENT FOR TREE PLANTING AND MAINTENANCE DISTRICT NO. 1 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Resolution 11179, the Helena City Commission created Tree Planting and Maintenance District No. 1 ("District") on August 25, 1997 to plant, protect, maintain, preserve and care for public trees on City owned rights-of-way, public parks and open-space land; and

**WHEREAS,** maintenance district boundaries were set at the boundaries of the City, and should be changed annually to be consistent with the changing boundaries of the City; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Commission must first pass a resolution of intention before levying annual assessments for defraying the cost of the district; and

**WHEREAS**, each parcel in Tree Planting and Maintenance District No. 1 is to be assessed on an equal amount basis, and

**WHEREAS**, the District is all real property within the exterior boundaries of the City of Helena, including all properties annexed into the City, up to and including the date of adoption of the assessment resolution; and

. **WHEREAS,** a public hearing was held on this matter on August 23, 2010, at 6:00 p.m. in the Commission Chambers, City-County Admin. Building, 316 N. Park Ave., Helena, MT.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA:

**Section 1.** Tree Planting and Maintenance District No. 1 is amended to include all property within the exterior boundaries of the City of Helena and all properties annexed into the City, up to and including the date of adoption of the assessment resolution.

**Section 2.** The City Commission hereby levies an assessment upon all parcels in Tree Planting and Maintenance District No. 1 to defray the cost of the district for fiscal year 2011.

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**Section 3.** The estimated annual cost of the district will be assessed to each parcel, as defined by a state-issued geo-code, in the City of Helena on an equal amount basis as specified in §7-12-4162(3), MCA. Each parcel will be assessed \$10.00.

PASSED AND EFFECTIVE BY THE COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF HELENA, MONTANA, THIS  $23^{\rm rd}$  DAY OF AUGUST, 2010.

	/S/ James E. Smith MAYOR	
ATTEST:		
/S/ Debbie Havens CLERK OF THE COMMISSION		